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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Tomokuni WAUKE	Examiner:	
Serial No.:	10/042,068	LE, Dang D.	
Filed:	January 8, 2002	Art Unit:	2834
For:	THIN INNER ROTOR MOTOR FOR ROTATABLY DRIVING MEDIUM, AND DISK APPARATUS USING THE SAME		
Attorney Docket No:	9281-4240	Client No. J US00142	

TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Attached are:

Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Response to Office Action of November 29, 2004 (10 pgs); and
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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of November 29, 2004. The Remarks begin on page 2.